



**Product Technical Statement
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HANDIPLY® Plywood Products: Non-Structural Square Edge

<p>Product Description</p>	<p>HandiPLY® Non-Structural Square Edge plywood is a layered panel made from New Zealand pine wood veneers manufactured by Carter Holt Harvey Plywood Limited (CHH Plywood) and available in standard thicknesses between 9 and 12 mm in a square edge profile. 2400x1200 in size, the panels are non-structural and are available untreated and H3.2 CCA treated.</p> <p>Non-structural plywood may contain sheet imperfections including, but not limited to, edge damage, core overlaps and surface inconsistencies.</p>
<p>Scope of Use</p>	<p>HandiPLY® Non-Structural Square Edge plywood is targeted for usage in non-load bearing applications where compliance with the New Zealand Building Code (NZBC) is not required. Common applications include: non-structural panels, dog kennels, letter boxes, doll houses, landscape fencing, formwork for paths and driveways, making furniture and toys, etc</p> <p>Where structural plywood is required, refer Ecoply or Shadowclad literature at www.ecoply.co.nz or www.shadowclad.co.nz</p>
<p>Limitations / Disclaimer</p>	<p>CCA treated Plywood must not be installed in direct contact to steel frames.</p> <p>HandiPLY Non-structural square edge plywood must not be used in any applications requiring compliance with the NZBC or in applications where structural performance is required.</p>
<p>Compliance with the New Zealand Building Code</p>	<p>HandiPLY Non-Structural Square Edge plywood, will only meet the following provisions of the NZBC:</p> <p>Clause F2 Hazardous Building Materials: F2.3.1</p> <p>HandiPLY Non-structural square edge plywood meets this requirement and will not present a health hazard to people.</p>
<p>Sustainability</p>	<p>HandiPLY Non-Structural Square Edge plywood is manufactured from plantation pine grown in New Zealand. It is grown on tree farms which are tended and harvested to provide wood for plywood manufacture and other applications. The crop is managed on a sustainable basis to yield millable trees. New Zealand plantations are managed in compliance with the New Zealand Forest Accord, a voluntary agreement signed in 1991 between New Zealand forest managers and environmental non-government organisations.</p> <p>HandiPLY Non-structural square edge plywood is manufactured in New Zealand, at the CHH Plywood Tokoroa Plywood Mill. Ecoply is available Forestry Stewardship Council (FSC) Certified on request (FSC-C012019).</p>



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<p>Product Support</p>	<p>CHH Plywood provides extensive product support for our full range of wood based building products. By visiting www.handiPLY.co.nz you can access all the latest information regarding our products including Product Guides, Specification and Installation Guides, Technical Notes, Information Bulletins, CAD Drawings, Design Software and other useful information.</p> <p>In addition to this CHH Plywood have a team of Technical Experts available to assist with any product enquiries. You can contact the team by calling 0800 326 759 or by emailing info@handiPLY.co.nz.</p>
<p>Legal Disclaimer</p>	<p>The information contained in this document is current as at August 2015 and is based on data available to CHH Plywood at the time of going to print.</p> <p>CHH Plywood reserves the right to change the information contained in this document without prior notice. It is your responsibility to ensure that you have the most up to date information available. You can call toll free on 0800 326 759 or visit www.handiPLY.co.nz to obtain current information.</p> <p>CHH Plywood has used all reasonable endeavours to ensure the accuracy and reliability of the information contained in this document. However, to the maximum extent permitted by law, CHH Plywood assumes no responsibility or liability for any inaccuracies, omissions or errors in this information nor for any actions taken in reliance on this information.</p>